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**RESPONSE**

Responsive to the Office Action mailed May 24, 2006, Applicants respectfully request the Office to enter and consider the following remarks in the above-referenced application.

No further **Amendments to the Claims** are being made herein. For the convenience of the Office, a current listing of the claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.